

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1-10. (Canceled)

11. (Currently Amended) A method of improving or treating fibromyalgia comprising:

administering to a patient a medicinal composition ~~including~~that comprises, as an active ingredient, an extract from inflamed tissue inoculated with vaccinia virus ~~as an active ingredient to a patient.~~

12. (Original) The method of treating fibromyalgia according to claim 11, wherein the inflamed tissue is cutaneous tissue.

13. (Original) The method of treating fibromyalgia according to claim 12, wherein the inflamed tissue is inflamed cutaneous tissue of rabbits.

14. (Previously Presented) The method of treating fibromyalgia according to claim 11, wherein the medicinal composition is an injectable preparation.

15. (Previously Presented) The method of treating fibromyalgia according to claim 11, wherein the medicinal composition is an oral preparation.

16. (New) A method of improving or treating a pain by fibromyalgia comprising:
administering to a patient a medicinal composition that comprises, as an active ingredient, an extract from inflamed tissue inoculated with vaccinia virus.

17. (New) The method according to claim 16, wherein the inflamed tissue is cutaneous tissue.

18. (New) The method according to claim 17, wherein the inflamed tissue is inflamed cutaneous tissue of rabbits.

19. (New) The method according to claim 16 wherein the medicinal composition is an injectable preparation.

20. (New) The method according to claim 16, wherein the medicinal composition is an oral preparation.

21. (New) A method of improving or treating an accompanying symptom with fibromyalgia comprising:

administering to a patient a medicinal composition that comprises, as an active ingredient, an extract from inflamed tissue inoculated with vaccinia virus.

22. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the inflamed tissue is cutaneous tissue.

23. (New) The method according to claim 22, wherein the inflamed tissue is inflamed cutaneous tissue of rabbits.

24. (New) The method according to claim 21 wherein the medicinal composition is an injectable preparation.

25. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the medicinal composition is an oral preparation.

26. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is fatigue.

27. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is malaise.

28. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is depression.

29. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is anxiety.

30. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is muscle tightness in the morning.

31. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is muscle stiffness.

32. (New) The method according to claim 21, wherein the accompanying symptom is sleep disorders.